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THE FOLLOWING IS AN IMMEDIATE PHOTO INTELLIGENCE REPORT FROM MISSION
SIBAE FLOWN ON 5 MAR 64. AREA COVERED INCLUDES LAOS, NORTH VIETNAM
AND SOUTH VIETNAM. PERCENTAGE FIGURE FOR EACH ITEM REPRESENTS CLOUD
COVER. INTERPRETABILITY IS SHOWN AS GOOD, FAIR OR POOR, ETC.
PERSONNEL RECEIVING REPORT ARE CAUTIONED THAT STRICT NEED-TO-KNOW
PRINCIPLE APPLIES.

19. ATTOPHEU AIRFIELD 1449N/10649E
LOCATED 1 NM NW OF ATTOPHEU. APRX 4700 X 45 FT, NW/SE, LATERITE,
SERVICEABLE RWY. FOLLYS INCLUDE PARKING APRON, ONE SUPPORT BLDG.
NOTE: NONE. 25X1A

B. MILITARY INSTALLATIONS

1. MAHAXY MILITARY CAMP 1725N/10512E
LOCATED S EDGE OF MAHAXY. TRENCHED AREA CONTAINS APRX 20 BLDGS.
HAZE PRECLUDES MORE DETAILED INTERPRETATION. 25X1A

2. BAN KAI WO DEPOT 1710N/10514E
UNABLE TO LOCATE REPORTED AREA. UNABLE TO LOCATE REPORTED AREA.
AT BAN KAI. NO UNUSUAL ACTIVITY NOTED IN AREA. 25X1A

3. TCHEPONE ARMY BKS 1642N/10613E
LOCATED 0.7 NM NW OF TCHEPONE. AREA CONTAINS 6 PROB BKS, LARGE
L-SHAPED WAREHOUSE, 8 SUPPORT BLDGS. SEVERAL PERSONNEL TRENCHES
NOTED. 25X1A

4. BAN LIANG BKS AND HQS 1930N/10518E
LOCATED 3.3 NM NE OF BAN LIANG. AREA CONTAINS 9 BKS, 3 ADMIN
BLDGS, NUMEROUS SUPPORT BLDGS. UNOCCUPIED FOUR POSITION WEAPON SITE
(PROB RA). EXTENSIVE TRACK ACTIVITY THROUGHOUT AREA. 25X1A

5. SALA PHONG KATT BARRACKS 1986N/10509E
LOCATED ADJACENT KIENG KHOUANG AIRFIELD. INSTALLATION DIVIDED INTO
TWO AREAS: (1) MAIN AREA CONTAINS NUMEROUS BKS AND SUPPORT BLDGS;
(2) STORAGE AREA AT NE CORNER CONTAINS 4 WAREHOUSES, 9 SUPPORT
BLDGS. EXTENSIVE TRACK ACTIVITY, NUMEROUS PERSONNEL TRENCHES AND
FOXHOLES THROUGHOUT AREA. NO VEHICLES NOTED. 25X1A

6. LAK SAO ARMY BARRACKS 1811N/10459E
LOCATED 1 NM SE OF LAK SAO. AREA CONTAINS 11 BKS, APRX 30 SUPPORT
BLDGS. TRENCHED AREA 1 NM N CONTAINS 5 SUPPORT BLDGS, 3 UNOCCUPIED
WEAPON REVEITEMENTS. 25X1A

7. BAN BAN ARMY BKS/ORDNANCE 1735N/10534E
LOCATED 4.5 NM ESE OF BAN LAO. FENCED AND TRENCH ENCLOSED AREA
CONTAINS APRX 7 WAREHOUSES, 3 BKS, 20 SUPPORT BLDGS. TWO TRUCKS
NOTED. 25X1A

C. ROAD AND RAIL SEARCH
1. PHALANE TO TCHEPONE ROUTE 9 SEARCH (1639N/10535E TO 1642N/10614E).
NO CONSTRUCTION OR VEHICULAR TRAFFIC NOTED ALONG ROUTE. 25X1A

2. TCHEPONE TO BAN YANG THEIM ROUTE 9 SEARCH (1640N/10615E TO
1639N/10605E). NO CONSTRUCTION OR VEHICULAR TRAFFIC NOTED ALONG
ROUTE. 25X1A

3. THAKHEK TO KIM CUONG ROUTE 6 SEARCH (1724N/10449E TO 1027N/
10516E). NO CONSTRUCTION OR VEHICULAR TRAFFIC NOTED. CHECK POINT
LOCATED AT 1746N/10507E CONTAINS ONE BLDG AND 6 WEAPON REVEITEMENTS. 25X1A

4. BAN KHUANG PHO TO BAN PHOU KENG ROUTE 12 SEARCH (1730N/10523E TO
1733N/10513E). NO CONSTRUCTION OR VEHICULAR TRAFFIC NOTED. 25X1A

5. BAN KHAU TO BAN DINE DAM ROUTE 7 SEARCH (1931N/10254E TO 1927N/
10406E). NO CONSTRUCTION OR VEHICULAR TRAFFIC NOTED. CHECKPOINT
AT 1930N/10353E, CONTROL GATE ACROSS ROAD. 25X1A

D. OTHER

1. TCHEPONE HIGHWAY BRIDGE 1642N/10613E
LOCATED 0 NM N OF TCHEPONE. PART THRU: CONCRETE AND STEEL, 5
SPANS, 402 X 10 FT. 25X1A

2. NAPE HIGHWAY BRIDGE OVER BAN PHO RIVER 1810N/10305E
LOCATED 0.2 NM W OF NAPE AIRFIELD. DECK TYPE, PROB STEEL, 3 SPANS,
APRX 360 FT LONG, SINGLE LANE. 25X1A

3. BAN BAN HIGHWAY BRIDGE 1930N/10533E
LOCATED 3.7 NM SSE OF BAN LAO. BRIDGE HAS BEEN DESTROYED. NARROW
TEMPORARY BRIDGE LOCATED DIRECTLY ADJACENT. 25X1A